



Montana
Children and
Youth Services
Meet-Up

August 25th, 2021

Agenda for Today

- ◇ CYS Announcements and Updates
- ◇ Makerspaces Discussion
- ◇ Next Meet-up and Future Topics

CYS Announcements and Updates

- ◆ Summer Reading Update
 - ◆ 2021 Evaluation Survey Available
 - ◆ 2021 Reflection Webinar in August
- ◆ Moodle Space – Self-Paced Courses for YALSA Transforming Teen Services, small learning cohort in October/November on youth development
- ◆ Supercharged Storytime Course in Winter

Makerspaces

- ◆ Does your library have a makerspace? Please describe the space, equipment, and activities you do in your makerspace.
- ◆ Does your library host maker-related activities? What kinds of activities have you done in the past?
- ◆ What specific questions/thoughts/impressions do you have of makerspaces? What information are you hoping to get?

Makerspaces in Montana

- ◇ [SCRaP in Billings](#) (Share, Create, Reuse and Promote)
- ◇ [Bozeman Makerspace](#)
- ◇ [spectrUM Discovery Maker Truck – Kwul. ‘tkin](#)
- ◇ [University of Montana – Innovation Factory](#)
- ◇ [Missoula Public Library MakerSpace](#)
- ◇ [Billings Public Library Tech Lab](#)
- ◇ [MSU Makerspace](#)
- ◇ [Montana State Library Makers Program](#) (inactive)

Resources on Makerspaces

- ◇ [Makerspaces.com – Overview and Guide to Makerspaces](#)
- ◇ [Research Study on Rural Makerspaces: Outcomes and Impacts](#)
- ◇ [Webjunction Webinar – Creators and Makers in the Library](#)
- ◇ [Tech Soup Webinar – Digital Media Labs and Makerspaces for Small Rural Libraries](#)
- ◇ [ALA Makerspace Resources](#)

Future CYS Meet-Up

- ◇ Next Meet-Up on September 29th, last Wednesday of the month, from 10 - 11 am
- ◇ Potential Topics:
 - ◇ Collection Development
 - ◇ In-person vs. virtual programming in the fall
 - ◇ Storytime sharing
 - ◇ Baby Programming